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25X1	1. Received a call from Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that he has a draft of language for the conference report and wants to insure that it meets our needs as much as possible. I told him that
25X1A	Mr. Maury and were on the Hill and I would have one of them meet with him as soon as possible.
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25X1	3. The Director met with Senators Ellender, Stennis, and Margaret Chase Smith and Representative Mahon whom he briefed on the White House announcement regarding the intelligence community. See Memo for the Record.

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25X1		8. Met with Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, whom I briefed on the White House announcement regarding the intelligence community.
25X1		9. and I met with William Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, whom we briefed on the upcoming White House announcement regarding the intelligence community. Mr. Woodruff commented that this seemed a forward step.
25X1	(1C	Services Committee staff, and Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, about possible language for the Joint Explanatory Statement of the Committee on Conference on the Military Procurement Act. The statement pertaining to Section 505 will indicate that it is not the intent of the conferees to jeopardize or reduce funds available for the operation of the embassy in Laos, or for those normal and usual expenses of the embassy as would be incurred in the absence of any military, paramilitary, or economic assistance programs. Both Woolsey and Slatinshek said the Committee staffs would meet this afternoon to decide on the precise final wording.
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12. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Called Alex Schnee, in the Congressional Relations Office, Department of State, concerning the language that would be contained in the foreign assistance bill(s) which have been approved but not reported out by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Schnee advised that the only real change will be funding levels and that the provisions would otherwise be identical to the language of H.R. 9910 as amended on the Senate floor prior to its reject on October 29. Schnee volunteered that an attempt to tinker with the language on the Senate floor could be counterproductive and we could end up with more restrictive language.

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